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EXAMINING GROUP 1616**

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In re Application of

Steven M. BESSETTE

Serial No.: 09/604,157

Filed: June 27, 2000

Group Art Unit: 1616

Examiner: N. Levy

For: PESTICIDAL COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING PLANT ESSENTIAL OILS AGAINST TERMITES

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In response to the June 28, 2002, Final Office Action please amend the above-captioned patent application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel Claims 4-6, 8-11 and 14-19 without prejudice to, or disclaimer of, the subject matter they contain.

Please amend Claims 1, 7, 12 and 13, as follow.

1. A composition for the control of termites, said composition comprising a pesticidally acceptable carrier and at least one plant essential oil compound selected from the

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